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COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA

STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION

AT RICHMOND, October 3, 2001

APPLICATION OF

CRAIG-BOTETOURT ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE

CASE NO. PUE010009

For approval of a plan for functional separation pursuant to the Virginia Electric Utility Restructuring Act

ORDER GRANTING MOTION AND ALLOWING RESPONSE

On August 27, 2001, the Staff of the State Corporation

Commission ("Commission") filed a motion requesting leave to

file a reply to the "Response to the Virginia State Corporation

Commission Staff Report" filed by Craig-Botetourt Electric

Cooperative ("Craig-Botetourt" or the "Cooperative") on August

3, 2001, in the above referenced matter. In its motion, Staff

states that the Cooperative raised issues regarding Staff's

recommendations on certain administrative and general ("A&G")

costs and associated overheads, uncollectible expense, customer

deposits, and interest on customer deposits that require

clarification and further comment by Staff.

NOW THE COMMISSION, upon consideration of the matter, finds that Staff's motion should be granted and that the Cooperative

should have the opportunity to file any response to Staff's reply.

Accordingly, IT IS ORDERED THAT:

- (1) Staff's Motion Requesting Leave to File Reply is hereby granted.
- (2) Craig-Botetourt may file any response to this reply on or before October 25, 2001, with Joel H. Peck, Clerk, State Corporation Commission, Document Control Center, P.O. Box 2118, Richmond, Virginia 23218.
- (3) This matter is continued for further orders of the Commission.